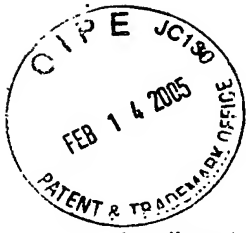


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We enclose the following papers for filing in the U. S. Patent and Trademark Office.

1. Petition under 37 CFR 1.182 (1 page);
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THE COMMISSIONER IS HEREBY AUTHORIZED AND IS REQUESTED TO CHARGE ALL FEES DUE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.17 DURING THE PENDENCY OF THIS APPLICATION TO OUR DEPOSIT ACCOUNT NO. 07-1729.

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